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Amendments To The Claims:

Claims 1-9 (Canceled).

10. (Currently Amended) A method for producing an electronic module with an integrated electromagnetic shield having a network of interconnection balls and/or shielding balls (7) or preforms which are geometrically identical performs and surface-mounted components (2) on a substrate (1), said substrate having a mounting surface having predetermined mounting lands for the interconnection balls and/or shielding balls (7) and surface-mounted components and said surface-mounted components being electronic devices used for ensuring electronic function, the method including:

depositing soldering cream (8) onto the mounting lands for the surface-mounted components and the interconnection <u>balls</u> and/or shielding balls, which are to be located on the mounting surface of the substrate, simultaneously;

transferring the surface-mounted components onto the deposited soldering cream on the corresponding mounting lands;

transferring the interconnection <u>balls</u> and/or shielding balls collectively onto the the deposited soldering cream on the corresponding mounting lands on the mounting surface, which is the same side of the substrate as for the surface-mounted components; and

soldering with a single reflow cycle the surface-mounted components and the interconnection <u>balls</u> and/or shielding balls onto the substrate, simultaneously, such that the electronic module is in the shape of a ball housing and is directly connectable to the printed circuit <u>and that the shielding balls insure the electromagnetic shielding of the components situated on the lower face of the substrate among the interconnection balls and shielding balls.</u>

- 11. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the soldering cream
- (8) is deposited via serigraphy.
- 12. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the soldering cream
- (8) is deposited by syringe.
- 13. (Canceled)
- 14. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the components (2)

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located on the lower face of the substrate 1 among the interconnection balls and shielding balls are decoupling capacitors (17) and/or serial resistors (16) and/or filtering cells and/or quartz adapter condensers are/is integrated as close to the interconnection balls and/or shielding balls (7) as possible and on the mounting surface of the electronic module.

15. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claims 10, the electronic module having a gripping surface, wherein the gripping of the electronic module may be gripped by suction and transferred to the printed circuit.

Claims 16-18 (Canceled).

- 19. (Previously Presented) The method as claimed in claim 10, the electronic module being directly connectable by soldering to the printed circuit.
- 20. (Currently Amended) The method as claimed in claim 10, wherein the interconnection balls and/or shielding balls have a diameter greater than the height of said surface-mounted components.